

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Cloudy, unsettled this afternoon and tonight, fair Thursday, fresh southwest wind. Southern California: Cloudy, unsettled tonight and Thursday; probably showers tonight on northern coast.

Oakland Tribune.

POWERS BACK OF CHINA.

Li Hung Chang Is Turned Down By Emperor.

Dismissal of Czar's Tool Will Check Russia's Designs.

BONDS DECIDED ILLEGAL.

Supreme Court Knocks Out the Park Pan Handle.

School Bond Election Also Declared Invalid.

GOULD IN NEW BOARD.

Directors Elected for Southern Pacific Company.

New York Represents the Harriman Interests.

CLOSE CALL FOR PLUNGER.

Geo. Phillips Driven From the Chicago Wheat Pit.

Bears Nearly Succeed in Smashing Grain Market.

STORY OF THE RICE TRAGEDY.

His Valet Tells of the Poison Given the Old Man.

Says Lawyer Patrick Agreed to Kill Himself.

REBELS COMING IN FAST.

Over Two Hundred Surrender in One Bunch.

Gen. MacArthur Says Manila Frauds are Trifling.

TRAINS BLOCKED BY SNOW.

Pittsburg Streets a Maze of Tangled Wires.

Business Paralyzed and Great Floods are Threatened.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Although no official notice has reached here of the reported departure of Prince Li Hung Chang from Peking for Shanghai, the officials are inclined to believe it is true and that Li Hung Chang is really leaving Peking for good and because the Emperor is displeased with his conduct of the negotiations.

It was known here that when Li Hung Chang was made one of the Peiping Envoy's he was pro-Russian in sentiment, but there was no cause for complaint on that score until the Manchurian agreement came up for consideration.

Now it is believed by officials here that Li Hung Chang has proved so earnest an advocate of the Russian cause and has so strenuously worked for the signature of the agreement that his own government has felt obliged to depose him of power to further that agreement.

If this understanding is correct it is believed that an effectual check has been administered to Russia in her designs upon Manchuria, for it is thought the Emperor of China would scarcely have acted in this summary fashion had he not received assurances of support from some of the other powers.

LOOKS LIKE WORK OF INCENDIARY.

Vulcan Company Will Not Lose Much By the Fire.

FRUIT CROP IS HURT BY FROST.

Report From San Jose Shows the Effect of Bad Weather.

WOMAN TALKS WITH AGUINALDO.

Filipino Chief Takes Oath of Allegiance Reluctantly.

BATTLED WITH A MACHINE AGENT.

Three Women Attack a Man at Fruit-vale.

DEMOCRATS WIN ST. LOUIS.

The Total Vote of the City Has Been Counted.

STABLE BOYS TO INVADE ENGLAND.

Small Army From New York to Take Place of Strikers.

MYSTERY AT ST. PAUL'S.

Detectives are Investigating a Singular Burglary.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—An officer of the Vulcan Smelting Works Company of San Francisco, whose buildings were burned early this morning at Melrose, said that none of the machinery or appliances of the company had been destroyed. In the place at the time were a carload of coke, a carload of coal, forty-six tons of ore, tools and a variety of other articles.

The loss to the Vulcan Company will not be more than \$500, although an un-official report fixed the loss at between \$10,000 and \$15,000. The buildings is covered by insurance, but the Vulcan Company carried no insurance.

The fire looked suspicious, he said, because it had rained the night before and it also rained last night between 7:30 and 9:30 o'clock. At the same time the blaze, he said, could have been started by a spark which had been fanned into a flame.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT SAN DIEGO.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 3.—Ward has just reached here of a probable fatal accident to Superintendent W. W. Bostwick of the Julian Consolidated Mining and Milling Company at Julian, San Diego county, last Saturday. From a recent report it appears that while Bostwick was directing the installation of a hoist and a supporting cable gave way and a heavy piece of iron struck him on the head. His skull was fractured and he was paralyzed from head to foot. He is very low this afternoon and will likely die.

BIG LOAN FOR BERLIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, April 3.—The new imperial 3 per cent loan of 300,000,000 marks was offered today. The directors of the Imperial Bank this evening estimated that the subscriptions amount to over 62,000,000.

French Shore Question.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LIVERPOOL, April 3.—The White Star Liner Majestic, which sailed from here today for New York, has among her passengers E. P. Morris, the Newfoundland expert on the French shore question.

Mr. Morris said that while a settlement had not actually been reached, he was hopeful that they were nearing the end of the difficulty.

JOHN LYNCH'S HEAVY FINE.

John Lynch, who was convicted by a jury of having assaulted Ed Murphy with a druggist's pistol during a saloon row, was sentenced by Judge Greene this afternoon to pay a fine of \$50 or serve 300 days in the County Jail.

A Popular Mayor.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Returns show that M. M. Stephens, Democrat, who ran for Mayor on the Citizens' ticket in East St. Louis, has been elected by a majority of 1,500. This is the seventh time that Mr. Stephens has been elected Mayor of East St. Louis.

A movement is on foot among the transfer companies of this city and vicinity to effect a combination for the purpose of guarding their interests and running their complex business in a more systematic and satisfactory manner than it is being run at present.

One of the purposes contemplated is the establishment of uniform rates and the adoption of a guarantee against rate-cutting, which has always interfered with this line of business. One meeting on this subject has already been held and this will be followed by others.

The transfer companies interested are the People's, the Merchants, the Parcel Delivery, Austin's, Scott's and others.

CEN. YOUNG GOES EAST.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Major General S. B. M. Young, who is succeeded General Shafter as Commandant of the Military Department of California, left for Washington today, accompanied by Lieutenant Smedberg.

GIRL FIRES AT A BURGLAR.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SANTA ANA, Cal., April 3.—Mrs. Lizzie Turner, daughter of J. A. Turner, cashier of the First National Bank, fired three shots at a burglar about 3 o'clock this morning, but her aim was wild, none of the shots taking effect. Three residences were entered during the night by the burglar and four others were visited, but the thieves were frightened away before entrance was effected. No booty was secured at any of the places entered.

FOUND GRAVE SHE SOUGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robinson have returned from a visit of several weeks to the south. While at Santa Ana Mrs. Robinson succeeded in finding the grave of her brother, Willie Franklin Stahl, who had been buried twenty years before in Los Alamitos cemetery. At the time of the interment the place of sepulture was but an open prairie, in which several young people were buried during an epidemic of diphtheria. The grave had been lost, to speak, in the grass for years. Mrs. Robinson recalled, however, that her father had marked the grave with a small piece of board on which, with a knife, he had rudely engraved the initials of his deceased son. She has since this over the sword and inscribed the sword with the carved lettering that has not been effaced. It was in this manner, that the grave of the boy was located. It will now be marked with a marble tablet.

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303 Washington St., Cor. 14th

The TRIBUNE is the only paper in this County that can print the Associated Press dispatches. It also gives a full local report.

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WASHINGTON, April 3.—Charles F. Jones, the valet-secretary of William M. Rice, the rich Texan, resumed the giving of testimony today in the proceedings against Albert Patrick, who is charged with causing Rice's death in order to obtain his property by means of a will, deeds and checks, which it is alleged were forged.

Jones began today by relating that on Monday, the day following Rice's death, four men who represented themselves to be lawyers called at the flat and asked questions concerning the circumstances surrounding the death. Jones told Patrick he thought these men were detectives. The next morning Jones went to police headquarters.

When he returned home he found a number of detectives in the place. On Tuesday afternoon he was taken to police headquarters, where he was questioned. He found Patrick also at headquarters. Patrick told Jones he had found the will witnessed in his (Patrick's) office and a number of bogus letters written in the will matter. On this occasion, Jones testified, Patrick asked when Rice had last been

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The mysterious removal of an entire pane from one of the side windows of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, corner of Fourteenth and Harrison streets, some time during last night, is puzzling the police and detectives, for whom it remains to unravel.

The matter was reported by Rev. Robert Ritchie, rector of the church, to Chief of Police Hodgkins this morning, and Detectives Shorey and Hamerton were detailed to investigate the case.

The detectives spent the greater part of an hour in and about St. Paul's Church, but they are wholly in the dark as to what motive prompted the removal of the window pane.

The pane, about 14x16 inches square, was removed by scraping away the dry putty and was then set down against the building. It is clear that the pane was removed to admit some one climbing into the church, and that the intruder succeeded thus far as is apparent from the numerous burnt matches found on the carpeted floor. The rector's sanctuary had been visited but nothing here or anywhere throughout the church had been disturbed.

Hence it is unknown whether the motive of the intruder was that of an incendiary or robbery.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions to sell the effects of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rose, 1224 Market street, etc., etc., on April 5th.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 3.—Special to the Star from Oklahoma and Indian Territory. Indicate a lively interest displayed in the elections yesterday. In Oklahoma the Republicans elected their ticket, at Guthrie, Oklahoma City and Ponca City, and the Democrats were successful at Perry.

In the Indian Territory Republicans were successful at Sapulpa, Tulsa and Adair; Democrats at Okemah and the result at Wagoner and Vinita was mixed.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 3.—It was announced by the management of the Southern Athletic Club today that Kid McCoy and Peter Maher had been matched for a twenty-round bout here April 29th.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, April 3.—The physician in attendance has discovered a fresh abscess in the throat of M. Waldeck-Rousseau, the French Premier.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers, 159 Park St., Alameda. Telephone Grand 116.

Office 216 Stockton St., San Francisco. Telephone James 254.

\$3000 New Home

Now being built on the N. E. corner 35th and Market streets—lot 35 x 100 ft. House is two story—six rooms—bath—cement basement—and all modern conveniences.

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Easter Offerings
For this Week**Tailor-made Suits.** Blue and black pebbled cheviot Eton Suits; perfectly man tailored, some trimmed, others plain; the very newest..... \$15.00**Black Eton Suits** made of all-wool cheviot; the jacket is the new Eton effect, trimmed with a narrow satin band and silk lined. The Skirt is the new flare flounce trimmed with narrow satin band and has a silk drop Skirt with accordion pleated ruffle, a \$30.00 Suit **Special 20.00****Silk Dress Skirts**

About twenty different styles to select from..... \$15.00 each A beautiful assortment..... \$12.50

We have about 100 Silk Skirts ranging in price from..... \$10.00 to \$45.00

Jackets—Silk Eton and Bolero Jackets in all-over tucked' taffeta and peau-de-soie, a splendid assortment from..... \$5.00 to \$20.00

Black and tan Eton Jackets made of all-wool material, silk lined, from..... \$5.00 up

Automobile Jackets—Box Jackets and Raglan, just in for Misses' Children and Ladies.**SKIRTS**—All the newest tints in Silk Waists, elegantly trimmed..... \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50**EASTER MILLINERY.**

Our corps of experienced trimmers has been working night and day to satisfy the extraordinary demand for Easter week, and we are determined not to disappoint our customers. For this week we put on sale some of the most attractive creations of the millinery art; in fact they represent the very latest Eastern ideas, rather extreme they seem, but their very novelty makes them so.

Here is a Stunner at \$5.00

50 beautiful Hats, copies of the finest French patterns, made in our workroom. They are all work seeking; every conceivable fancy or suggestion will be found in this flower garden of millinery; samples on exhibition in our Washington street window.

POLICE BOARD
HAS ORGANIZED.Johnson for President
and Jackson for
Secretary.

The new Board of Police and Fire Commissioners organized this morning after the adjournment of the Board of Works.

Major Barstow placed in nomination City Attorney Johnson for president and his choice was unanimous. R. W. Jackson was appointed secretary.

There were numerous applications for positions and the lobby was crowded with applicants, but very few appointments were made.

The resignation of William B. Smith as foreman of chemical engine No. 1 was accepted and John Flitzsimmons, former steward, was promoted to succeed Smith. William Luckey, a new man, was appointed to succeed Flitzsimmons as steward of chemical No. 1. The changes were recommended by Chief Ball. Smith resigned to go to Guam as chief clerk and private secretary to the governor of that island.

The following applications were filed: William Corrin, for a position as driver in Fire Department; John P. Dauch, for extramian in the same department for Alden District; William J. McCarthy, as park gardener; Valdineiro Cavallo, as driver in Fire Department; William E. Gillen, driver of patrol.

Ex-Commissioner Dow's resolution for the appointment of John Brem to succeed John Rutherford, deceased, as foreman of Engine No. 5 was laid over.

A communication was read, signed by managers, agents and representatives of the leading insurance companies concerning the Commissioners not to remove N. A. Ball, chief of the Fire Department, and entering a formal protest against his removal.

On motion the Commissioners adjourned.

STORY OF THE
RICE TRAGEDY.

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given me very.

"I told him on Thursday," said Jones.

"Patrick told me that there would not be any traces of that left in the sys-

TRAINS BLOCKED
BY SNOW.

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are late today anywhere from forty minutes to two hours. On the main line of the Pennsylvania the block signals are refusing to work and the melting snow is turning the streams into torrents.

Engineer J. W. Gilchrist of train No. 19, which, although a double-headed, came in this morning one hour late, said his cab windows were completely buried in snow five minutes after the storm began, and that it was impossible to see the front of the locomotive during most of the trip.

The mountain streams are rising with marvelous rapidity and washouts can be expected all along the line.

Special Sale of all Soaps

COMMENCING TODAY

1 cake Cuticura Soap and 2 cakes Bair's Skin Soap..... 25c
Regular price 45c.
Castile Soap, "Virginia Brand,"..... 25c a bar
Colgates, Jurgens, Robinson's and all the leading Soaps at

Special Cut Prices

OSGOOD'S

Wholesale and Retail Druggists

THE LARGEST STOCK—THE LOWEST PRICES

Seventh and Broadway.

NEARING THE END
OF WATER SUIT.Allardt Admits the Necessity
of the Alvarado Plant to
Oakland.

Telling testimony in the big water case practically ended today. Little is left to be done save the argument and submission. Both sides are in haste to get through with the case so as to enable the court to render a decision prior to July 1st. No allusion was made to the injunction matter this morning.

In the water case this morning Mr. McCutcheon offered in evidence a tax bill showing that the franchise of the Contra Costa Water Company had been assessed in the City of Oakland for \$950,000, as an evidence of value. It developed that there was some misunderstanding as to the terms of the stipulation as to the amount of the operating expenses and taxes for the year 1900. It was agreed, however, to leave the matter to the record.

William J. Dingee testified to a conversation had with Engineer George F. Allardt last August as to the amount of water being supplied to the city.

"Mr. Allardt said this settles the amount of water that is being furnished," said Mr. Dingee. "We were standing by the pressure gauge in the Contra Costa office, and Mr. Allardt said he would not have believed it if he had not seen it. It was during a very hot spell, and the pressure on the gauge was about fifteen pounds. Mr. Allardt said this settles the proposition of the necessity of the Oakland plant and distributing system."

"What is the pressure on the gauge now?" asked Hayne.

"Thirty or thirty-five pounds."

"That's all," said Hayne, after a whispered consultation with Allardt.

An offer by McCutcheon to present further proof of the ownership and possession of the property claimed and used by the Contra Costa Water Company developed that Hayne still clings to the absurd idea of arguing that the company does not own its own property. In objecting to the admission, he reversed the fact that he intended to raise a technical contention that the corporation has no property to value. Early in the trial he endeavored to estop the company from showing value by contending that it was not the legal owner because of the existence of a mortgage to secure bonds.

"It is my impression that the question of ownership has been fully covered in the direct testimony," said Judge Hart.

"All right, if that is your honor's impression," said McCutcheon.

This closed the case for the plaintiff in chief.

Hayne recalled Allardt, who testified at the time of the autopsy and the embalming fluid would kill all traces of oxalic acid, which was a vegetable poison."

Witness then told of Dr. Curry having come to the apartments on Tuesday, where he met Patrick. The two had a long talk which Jones did not hear. The so-called Patrick will was then brought up. Jones said he had told Patrick that the provisions for Rice's relatives' interest, which were discovered on the day following Rice's death, were too small and that it would be impossible to get the will probated. Patrick, Jones said, then had the so-called "Patrick's will" drawn. The witness related at length the incidents of the day when the body of Rice was cremated.

While the testimony about the will was being given Captain Baker of Texas, who was an executor of the 1896 will, entered the trial room.

He carried a bundle of papers and some typewritten matter and said he might be called as a witness.

From the events of the day on which the body was cremated Jones passed over to the happenings of October 10th, the evening of the day he was arrested.

Jones said he was taken to police headquarters at about 10 o'clock in the evening and was taken down stairs and locked up an hour later. He said before he was locked up he made a statement which was entirely fictitious and which he could not recall even the salient features of.

Then Jones then told how Mr. House had been appointed lawyer of both Patrick and himself and the events surrounding the commitment to the Tombs. From here Jones passed to his attempt to commit suicide.

He said that at the time he attempted suicide at the Tombs Patrick had agreed to kill himself also.

CLOSING UP THE CASE.

In the afternoon Hayne said it was understood between himself and Mr. McCutcheon that none of the admissions he made in regard to the purchase of the Alvarado plant should preclude him from arguing that the competition between the two companies previously was a material ingredient in the purchase of the Oakland plant by the Contra Costa Company. His admission was practically that the purchase was made on the basis claimed by the Water Company.

Engineer Riffle was recalled for the city and testified that in his opinion the adobe at Pinole was suitable material for building a dam. He based this on the fact that the Santa Fe Railroad Company had built embankments of similar material. He said the chief difference between the cost of an embankment and a dam was the expense of rolling and wetting down, which he estimated at a cent and a half a yard. He said the Santa Fe road had made a big fill just across the ridge from the proposed Pinole dam, containing 200,000 yards of earth. This fill cost 25 cents a yard. Mr. Riffle had estimated the cost of the dam earthwork at twenty-five cents and it was a more expensive character of work. On his own showing the dam earthwork, under exactly the same conditions, would cost twenty-nine and one-half cents a yard. McCutcheon objected on the ground that the court was not finding out the cost of building railroad embankments, and further that one of the men who had done that work had testified that he was in the hands of creditors because he had done the work at a loss. The price of a railroad embankment constructed at a loss, he said, could not be taken as the measure of the cost of building a dam.

Mr. Riffle said he estimated on a dam 145 feet high and about 1,200 feet long and a flume that would carry 70,000,000 gallons of water in twenty-four hours. He considered a dam 145 feet high built of common adobe would be perfectly safe.

"Did you ever build a dam?" asked McCutcheon.

"Yes, one in Astoria and one in Los Angeles."

"How high were they?"

MAYOR BARSTOW
FOR CHAIRMAN.Will Preside Over the
Board of Public
Works.

The newly-elected Board of Public Works formally organized this morning. Mayor Anson Barstow was selected as Chairman, City Attorney Johnson placing him in nomination, seconded by City Engineer Turner.

President Barstow in accepting the office said: "I thank you gentlemen for the honor conferred upon me, and I shall try very hard at all times to perform the duties of this office with fairness and impartiality. That is about all I can say."

City Attorney Johnson offered a resolution reappointing R. W. Jackson as secretary of the Board. The choice was unanimous.

George A. Hannum was chosen clerk and stenographer of the board.

The Board then proceeded with its regular routine business.

Petitions for a share of the city's insurance were received from Mrs. Helen L. Kelly, Robinson & Daecher, John A. Beckwith, Gen. S. N. Nisly, W. A. Dohdison, and Layman Real Estate Company.

The financial demands against the various funds were allowed.

Street Superintendent Ott filed a report on the financial condition of his department and ascertaining the Board that by strict economy \$1,000 of the estimated expenses could be saved for the balance of the fiscal year. The report also quoted from a letter from G. W. Fisher of the Puget Sound Lumber Company calling attention to the fact that the main sewer emptying into the estuary at the foot of Clay street is broken between First street and its discharge point, causing the refuse to be discharged under the wharf, all of which is inimical to health, besides washing much mud into the channel. The report was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

A resolution ratifying a report of David E. B. as a deputy in the City Engineer's office, was adopted.

The various fire insurance policies, covering \$25,000 on the City Hall and \$2,000 on the contents, will soon expire, and a resolution was adopted requesting the City Council to authorize the Board to renew the insurance.

Application was made by the West Oakland Portuguese Republican Club on behalf of M. E. Mathews, asking that he be given such employment as is at the disposal of the Board.

In a liberally signed petition A. L. Hunt applied to be retained as gardener at Clinton Park.

Application was made by M. McGovern for a position in the street repairing department.

He was referred to the Street Superintendent, whereupon the Board dismissed him.

Councilman Schaffer, Wixson and Bishop were in attendance, and the lobby was crowded.

WOMAN GOES TO JAIL
FOR STEALING A
HANDKERCHIEF.

Mary Keys, a familiar figure in the Police Court dock, was today found guilty of petty larceny and sentenced to ten days in the City Prison. The petty larceny consisted of her stealing two handkerchiefs from another woman a few days ago.

HEBREWS CELEBRATE
FEAST OF PASSOVER.

Tomorrow the Hebrews of this city will celebrate the Feast of the Passover, which commemorates the deliverance of their ancestors from Egyptian bondage. Services will be held in the Synagogue.

Owl prices
for this week

Another week of specially low prices—another chance to buy drugs, medicines and toilet luxuries, at lower prices than other druggists pay for them. The Owl buys in carload lots—pays spot cash—secures the best that's made—at prices which permit us to offer the following for this week only:

Packer's Tar Soap for 25c

Regular price 25c—our regular price 3 bars for 50c—this week four for 50c.

Lyons Tooth Powder 15c

Regular price 25c—our usual price 20c—save 5c on each tin this week.

Roger & Gallett's Perfume—Our regular 90c size 80c

Peau de Espanne 45c

Florida Water 45c

Murray & Lanman's large 75c size—our usual price 50c

Lab-ache Powder 25c

Regular 35c all over town—our price 30c—special this week at 25c.

Mupyon's Soap 10c

We sell this well advertised soap at 15c usually—special price this week.

Pabst Best Tonic 20c

A chance to get a good tonic at a cut price—Regular 25c a bottle now 20c, or \$2.25 a dozen.

Renner's Malt Extract 15c

Regular price of this splendid whiskey is \$1—our price 55c—save 20c now.

Owl Bird Seed 3 lbs 15c

Usual price of this clean, fresh bird seed is 25c—this week special price.

Kirk's Juvenile Soap 10c

Regular 25c cakes.

The Owl Drug Co.

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Cut Rate Druggists.

Old-fashioned Training

Its Strong and Weak Points.

The strong point of the old-fashioned training was the stress laid upon morality and virtue. "Be good and you'll be happy," was the common precept set before the growing child. But as the girl grew up to maidenhood she was often puzzled to reconcile those past teachings with her present condition.

She was good. Her soul was pure as the lilies of her garden. Her heart was undefiled. And yet she was desperately unhappy by reason of physical ailments common to women.

This was the weak side of old-fashioned training: It ignored the

1899, through the advice of a neighbor, and followed your advice from April to July. I took five bottles of Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and four of "Golden Medical Discovery" and five vials of "Pellets." Have not had a single symptom of my old trouble so far. Can sleep good nights, work hard, and eat solid and substantial food without distress. There are several of my friends taking your medicines with the best results, since they have seen how they help me.

LABOR UNIONS MAKE A SPLENDID SHOWING.

J. B. Scully Is Elected Unionism Discussed at By the Trades Council.

Night.

At the meeting of the Building Trades Council last night there was an active session which adjourned only a few minutes before midnight.

Interest centered in the election of a Business agent of the Council to succeed J. H. Mullin, the agent who tendered his resignation a short time ago.

There were three candidates for the vacant position, Business Agent Miller of the Carpenters' Union; W. E. Scully, Painters and Decorators Union No. 127, and J. B. Bowen of the Lathers' Union.

Only two ballots were taken, as follows:

First Ballot—Scully 19, Miller 9 and Bowen 10. No choice because 38 votes had been cast and 29 were necessary for a choice.

The second ballot resulted as follows:

Scully 24, Bowen 11.

Scully was declared elected and the announcement was greeted with cheers.

Several complimentary addresses were delivered, among them that of the retiring Business Agent, J. H. Mullin, who introduced his successor to the delegates as a man thoroughly qualified to perform the duties of the office.

Later Mr. Mullin told a TRIBUNE reporter that he was glad Mr. Scully had been selected because he was a careful, prudent and determined man who enjoyed the confidence of all the members of the Council. He was a quiet, easy-going man, Mullin said, but when he said anything he meant it.

Mr. Scully is a palterer. He has been connected with Painters' Union No. 127 for some time. He was formerly treasurer of the Trades Council and is a resident of Alameda, his home being at 1730 Webster street.

Mr. Mullin, whom Mr. Scully succeeds, is a hard-working, intelligent and conscientious worker. He has held the position of business agent of the Building Trades Council for some time and especially during the millmen's strike, the most bitterly-contested struggle of the kind ever held in this county. No small amount of the success of that struggle is to be credited to the tireless efforts of Mr. Mullin. In testifying from office Mr. Mullin carries with him the respect of every one of his associates tradesmen.

PLUMBERS' UNION.

The Plumbers' Union, which is now in a most flourishing condition, at its last meeting, Wednesday evening, admitted sixteen new members. The organization has 196 names on its roll of membership. It is the only fourteen when it was organized a year ago.

CARMEN AND UNIONISM.

A movement is on foot to establish a union among the street car men of this city. This class of employees has an organization at present, but it is purely benevolent and social, and thus far has taken no part in labor movements.

A short time ago a committee from the car men had a conference with the Alameda County Federated Trades on the subject. At that meeting it was suggested that the initiative in the matter be taken by Mr. Booth, formerly in the employ of one of the street car companies, but now connected with the Recorders' office of this county. Mr. Booth said he would have some difficulty in getting the premises for the reason that his motives might be misunderstood. At the same time, however, he felt that the more information to the advantage of the men who were engaged in the movement, the more other persons ought to take the lead.

It was decided that Secretary Probie of the Federated Trades should write to W. D. Mahon, President of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees at Detroit, Mich., for information as to what moves should be made to enable the formation of a union which could be allied to the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees.

Secretary Probie wrote and received a very speedy reply. The letter contained an application blank for a certificate of affiliation with the association.

Dorey Probie of the Typographical Union, there will be a band of 100,000 members of trades unions who are requested to be present to escort Mr. Pierce in the hall under the leadership of the band.

Mr. E. Fay Mills has consented to preside and to deliver an address along the lines of labor to which it has been given considerable attention.

THE LATHERS.

This evening the Lathers' Union will hold its annual election of officers. The present president is Thomas Devillers, D. McNamee is secretary and P. Walsh treasurer.

The organization has twenty-five members, which is within three of the total number of fathers in this city. The only candidate known to aspire to the position of P. J. Burke.

LOOKING FOR QUARTERS.

The quarters in which labor has its principal meeting at 105 Broadway, are woefully inadequate to the needs of the organizations which represent honest and laborious toil. They are small, ill-ventilated and so sordid as not to conduct to that privacy which is always necessary in a legislative body. It is agreed that the time for a new building is coming, and although they are accepted highly, yet trades organizations are scattered all over the city and the unpleasant results may be easily imagined.

For this reason a joint committee, composed of Mr. J. J. Conner, President of J. Conner, representing the Building Trades Council, and Dorey Probie and J. V. A. Frates, the Federated Trades, have had under consideration the procurement of a series of halls in their structure, in which the various trades unions of this city might hold their meetings instead as to the ease now of being scattered all over the city.

The committee has examined a number of places, among them Kingley & Company's building, 105 Broadway, and Broadway, Dr. Wadley's building on Fourth street opposite the Maconough Theater, and several other places, with the referred right to preserve the autonomy of self-government of our own organization, subject to such rules and regulations as may be made, or are now established in our organization as above named.

Accompanying the documents is a letter from President Mathen, in which he discusses the things.

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"We have been meeting with much success during the past winter for the extension. East has established the nine-hour work day for our people during the last three months, all the way from Pennsylvania and at the present time in the South-west. We put the nine-hour work day in operation last week on part of the lines.

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W. D. MAHON,
International President."

TRADES UNIONS.

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Building Trades Council—Meets every Friday night at 105 Broadway.

Painters—Meet every Saturday night at 105 Broadway.

Plasterers—Meet first and third Tuesdays of the month at 105 Broadway.

Plumbers—Meet on second Wednesday evening in the month at 105 Broadway.

Plumbers and Gas Fitters—Meet every Wednesday night at 105 Broadway.

Lathers—Meet on first and third Wednesdays of the month at 105 Broadway.

Teamsters—Meet on second and fourth Mondays at Forester's Hall, Thirteenth and Clay streets.

Retail Clerks—Meet every Monday at 105 Broadway and Clay streets.

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The building was recently made over.

DEATH CALLS
CHAS. P. MARSH

100 won, Ligella (8) second. Don Luis (10) third. The other starters were Chas. Le Bid, Mary Klassin, Mrs. Albert, First Call, Royal Prize, Mepos, La Borgia, Tom, Cupid, Scratches, Rambler. Time, 1:50 3-4.

Sixth race—One-mile—Ada N (2) won, Bonnie Lissak (2) second, Marie (2) third. The other starter was Sadi. Time, 1:50.

VOTE IN KANSAS CITY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. KANSAS CITY, Kas., April 3.—William J. Cudahy, Democrat, was elected Mayor by a plurality of 1,737 over L. Short, Republican. This is the first time the Democrats have elected the head of the ticket in Kansas City, Kas., since 1888.

The Republicans elected City Clerk, Treasurer, Attorney, one District Judge, one Court Clerk, one Constable and two County Judges. The Democrats elected, besides Mayor, four Commissioners, one Judge, one Court Clerk and one Constable.

The principal issue was corporation ownership. We mean east over 4,000 of the Electives polled.

BLOODLESS STREET DUEL.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire. CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 2.—During a session of the court at Kingston today Hon. Samuel A. Brazile and Hon. James J. Littleton, prominent attorneys and leading Republican politicians in the Second Congressional District, quarreled over a speech which Littleton made against Brazile, who is running for Mayor of Kingston, and each drew revolver and began firing. None of the shots took effect. They were separated by bystanders and both placed under arrest.

West Oakland Club.

BERKELEY MAN WAS
IN HURRY FOR
A LICENSE.

The West Oakland Athletic Club is making arrangements for a house warming and smoker to be held about the 15th of the month, when their hall will be repapered and painted, and every one is making preparations for a good time, as this will be the final affair of its kind and every one will try to make it a success.

The match-makers have set their date for the next contests on April 25, and promise a card of boxing such as never was seen in Oakland before. There will be several Oakland boys seen in the contests and they will put up very hot ones. The following West Oakland boys will be seen: W. Bevett, J. Dean, Young Ferals and probably F. Ritter.

The membership is still increasing and the affairs of the club are in a very prosperous condition.

Some of the boys took a bicycle out to Niles and return Sunday and enjoyed themselves hugely. They found the roads in excellent condition for riding. On their way home they gathered large bunches of poppies and made presents of them to their friends. Among those in the party were J. McCarth, O. Brown, C. Gamble, G. Simpson, H. Hauensmidt and F. Hausschmid.

They enjoyed themselves so much that they intend to take the trip again on the opening club run and will no doubt have a larger crowd as the cycling members all enjoy these runs.

The leader of the club is making arrangements for the opening club run and will announce the date and destination next week.

The baseball nine is practicing every Sunday morning and will soon be looking for match games.

Boxing is still attracting a great deal of attention, as the members are all taking a great deal of interest in it. The instructors have their hands full as there are always fifteen or twenty stripping for instruction. The members still have the three-round goes on glass nights and several spirited boxing bouts is the result.

Baseball.

BOOLE SHIP YARD
ROAD NEARLY READY.

The improvement of the roadway to Boole's ship yard has reached the 600 foot mark, leaving but 40 feet yet to be completed. Broken rock from the Piedmont quarry is being used in constructing the new roadway.

Licensed to Harry

William Woodward, Oakland, 36

Walter James Hamilton, San Francisco, 22

Charles Nunan Snare, Berkeley, 30

Olga Helene Janzen, Berkeley, 29

Henry Lee Thomas, San Francisco, 29

Lily Cathryn Mitchell, San Francisco, 25

George Loren Hoffman, Oakland, 13

Nellie Grace Cherry, Oakland, 13

Racing

100 won, Ligella (8) second. Don Luis (10) third. The other starters were Chas. Le Bid, Mary Klassin, Mrs. Albert, First Call, Royal Prize, Mepos, La Borgia, Tom, Cupid, Scratches, Rambler. Time, 1:50 3-4.

Fourth race—One and one-fourth miles—Niglar (2) won, Estro (30) second, Date II (7-2) third. The other starters were Kastane, Faranette, Whaleback, William F. Midian, Scratches—Romany, Senator Matts. Time, 1:54 1-2.

Second race—Six furlongs—Silver Garter (13) won, Sudden (15) second, Salvo (8) third. The other starters were Alas, Un Cadeau, Montalade, Parmenton, Devereaux, Elstein, Scratches—Prejudice, Twilight, Hugarian. Time, 1:15.

Third race—Four furlongs—Bruswick (9-2) won, Corrigan (1) second, Tyrannus (40) third. The other starters were George Clark, Huachuan, Sol, Rory Ough, I. Bano, Fima A. Scratches—Barklyte, Ogle, Muresca. Time, 1:49.

Fourth race—One and three-fourths miles—Granger (12) won, J. O. C. (4) second, May Boy (7-2) third. The other starters were Gilberto, Oliuthus, Magus. Time, 3:22.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs—Twink

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NEWS OF THE COUNTY

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ELECTION SCHOOL IN ALAMEDA.

Officers Will Be Instructed By Senator E. K. Taylor.

PRES. WHEELER ASKS GIRLS NOT TO PLAY BALL.

Battle With the Nevada Co-Eds Declared Off.

BERKELEY, April 3.—The basket ball game between the U. C. co-eds and those of Nevada College has been called off, it being President Wheeler's wish that no match game be played during the remainder of the term.

This is a disappointment to those who anticipated seeing one of the closest of games.

The Nevadans have been doing hard work under a coach and are more than anxious to play a game with the University of California. So the Nevada girls will wait till the next semester, when it is said one of the hottest of contests for basket ball supremacy will take place.

In the meantime the U. C. co-eds will continue regular practice in the gymnasium.

CO-EDS WILL TRY TO PAY FOR THEIR GOWNS.

BERKELEY, April 3.—A most interesting musical event is to come off in Berkeley on the evening of the 12th of April, in Hearst Hall. It is well known that Mr. Loring is director of a most inspiring musical club among the women students of the University of California. This is known as the "Young Ladies' Choral Society," the club meets every Thursday evening. For several months all practice has been for the concert to be given in Hearst Hall. The co-eds will wear on that evening their college gowns and "mantibards." In fact, the purpose of the concert is to raise funds to pay for the gowns.

The chorus will be assisted by several soloists of note, Miss Ruth Loring being the accompanist.

Among the numbers on the program are: "Spring in the Land"; "Jochim Reff"; "Legends"; "Morning—Morning Now to the Month of May"; "Temptation Strong".

It is well remembered in college circles that this Choral Society is the sum that receives a request from President Wheeler last fall to sing at the football games and who, alas! did not appear.

Studying on the campus was certainly a great deal to expect of the co-eds, and we could hardly blame them for their absence on those open air occasions.

KEPT THEIR SECRET A LONG TIME.

NEW RESIDENTS HAVE ARRIVED AT CENTERVILLE.

ALAMEDA, April 3.—A secret wedding which took place on the 29th of January has just been made known to a few friends of the couple. On that date Miss Elsie Schroeder of this city and Luther E. Swain were married in San Jose. A few intimate friends of the groom, pledged to secrecy, witnessed the ceremony. The following week the groom left for Nogales, A. T., in which place his pretty bride says that she will soon rejoin him.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Schroeder of 302 Broadway.

SHORT MEETING OF THE ALAMEDA SCHOOL BOARD.

ALAMEDA, April 3.—A meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. Three members were present.

Several applications for teachers were filed.

Aside from the routine business nothing of importance came up.

LOOKING FOR OLD SPANISH TREASURES.

ALAMEDA, April 3.—The tunneling which has been going on for some time under the front part of the Park Hotel has ceased, and the hole is being filled up. A new one, however, in the rear of the building is now being dug.

There is much mystery about the big hole. It is said that certain parties are looking for old Spanish treasures.

TROLLEY CAR BREAKS DOWN IN ALAMEDA.

ALAMEDA, April 3.—The trolley pole on an Alameda car suddenly snapped in two about five feet from the wheel, just across the bridge on Park street this morning. No other damage resulted from the accident. The car was taken in tow and hauled back to Oakland. The accident was due to a defective casting.

NEW BUILDING IS NOW NEARING COMPLETION.

ALAMEDA, April 3.—Work is being rapidly carried on by F. W. Lehman in the reconstruction of this building on Park street destroyed some months ago by fire. In the rear of the building a corrugated warehouse will be built. The buildings will be finished about the 1st of May.

MASKED ROBBER IN AN ENCINAL HOME.

ALAMEDA, April 3.—Charles Cumbers of Bay Station claims a masked robber entered his house last night. The fellow was soon frightened away.

NATIVE SONS WILL GIVE A GRAND BALL.

BERKELEY, April 3.—On the evening of the 20th Inst. Berkeley Parlor, No. 210, Native Sons of the Golden West, will give its first semi-annual entertainment and ball. The affair will take place at the Berkeley Opera House.

The new order is progressing very rapidly. It organized on October 1, 1890, with a charter list of thirty-six, and now has an enrollment of seventy.

DANES IN SESSION AT HAYWARDS.

Town Trustees Pass Rules to Govern the Visitors.

HAYWARDS, April 3.—A reception to the grand officers and delegates, Society Danes, was held in the Haywards Opera House last night. The exercises were opened by Mayor Heyer presenting a massive gold key and the following proclamation and resolution to the delegates. Danish singing and dancing followed:

"Proclamation and resolution, City Hall, Haywards, April 1, 1901.

"Whereas, It has come to the unofficial notice of the Board of City Aldermen of the town of Haywards that our town is to receive a visit from the Grand Lodge of the Society of Danes, together with numerous friends; and

"Whereas, The said Danes have a reputation for being good citizens and jolly fellows par excellence; therefore be it

"Resolved, That our visitors be welcomed to our town in a manner befitting both the dignity and the spirit of the occasion.

"Resolved, That the period during which the said Grand Lodge shall remain in session be, and hereby is, declared a national holiday in and for the town of Haywards.

"Resolved, That the golden key and the freedom of the city be presented to our visiting guests by the Mayor.

"Resolved, That the following orders for town government will enhance the comfort of our guests and are hereby promulgated:

"Order No. 1—It will be the duty of the Town Marshal to see to it that the moon is kept full during the session.

"Order No. 2—The Night Watchman shall keep awake while on duty, look wise and pretend that he understands the language. He shall arrest anyone who may need it back unto the sidewalk after dark.

"Order No. 3—The streets of the town shall be regularly sprinkled and no citizen will be allowed to be on the "water wagon" during the week.

"Order No. 4—The Night Watchman shall keep awake while on duty, look wise and pretend that he understands the language. He shall arrest anyone who may need it back unto the sidewalk after dark.

"Order No. 5—Visitors will be required to treat the town officials with great respect, and as often as said officials can stand it, without becoming incapacitated for duty. Any person violating this order will be arrested on a charge of "Lese Majeste."

"Order No. 6—Pigeons with great wings will be allowed to be on the sidewalk after dark.

"Order No. 7—Any person convicted of violating any of the foregoing rules will be put into the cooler (at Lyon's Brewery) until said culprit either repents or is taken out of sack by his friends.

"Order No. 8—This ordinance shall go into effect immediately.

"Adopted by unanimous vote of the Town Dads in irregular session, April Fool's Day, A. D. 1901. As witness our hands and the seal of the town by

"CHARLES H. HEYER, Mayor."

"JOHN A. OBERMULLER, Clerk."

CHINESE TAKES HIS LIFE AT ALVARADO.

ALVARADO, April 3.—Ah Juiy, a Chinese, committed suicide last evening by hanging himself. Coroner McHann was notified and will hold an inquest.

STEPHEN McIVER IS NOW ON CRUTCHES.

FRUITVALE, April 3.—Dr. Simpson of Haywards was in Fruitvale yesterday.

W. G. Dickie spent last evening in Berkeley with friends.

Joseph Allen is slowly improving. Miss A. Hightley is the guest of Mrs. Fletcher this week.

NEWS NOTES FROM WEST BERKELEY.

WEST BERKELEY, April 3.—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Westminster Presbyterian Church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. George Phillips on San Pablo avenue.

Mrs. L. Kastens is critically ill at her home on Addison street.

Miss Jennie Butts, who was taken into her home on Delaware, near Lincoln, died at her home on Delaware, near Sixth.

Mr. Robert Cruz entertained a large number of his gentlemen friends at his home on San Pablo avenue last Saturday evening. Among other features of the evening were a number of selections by the California Serenaders.

Miss Anita Moore has returned to her home in San Francisco after visiting Miss D. Sistern.

LEFT HORSE AND THEN WENT AWAY AND DIED.

IRVINGTON, April 3.—W. E. Hawks drove up to the Roderick Stables about seventeen days ago and put up his rig. He complained of not feeling well and took the train that afternoon for San Jose. His son arrived Tuesday morning and stated that his father had died of pneumonia. What had been greatly mystified was what had become of the owner.

IRVINGTON FARMERS WANT MORE RAIN.

Interesting Budget of Local and Personal News.

IRVINGTON, April 3.—Mrs. J. Durham has been quite ill with a grippe, and Dr. Nettie has been attending her. She has been somewhat better for the past few days.

Mrs. S. B. Vandervoort and her youngest daughter have been sick lately with severe colds.

The street sprinkler started again on Monday morning, much to the gratification of the residents of Irvinington, as the streets were very dusty.

MANY ON SICK LIST.

There have been quite a number of people ill around town the past week.

The Griffin and Roderick babies have both been ill, the former dangerously so.

The Roderick baby is better, but Mrs. Griffin's child is still in a critical condition.

Mr. Sogo is able to be around again. He goes out walking and riding every few days.

Eugene Babbs, Mrs. Alida Babbs, Miss M. S. Babbs and Mrs. E. A. Babbs of Irvington and Mrs. Lou Babbs of Niles went to East Oakland on Sunday by invitation from Mr. and Mrs. George A. Babbs, it being their fifth wedding anniversary.

They had a delightful time. A fine dinner was served in the afternoon. The guests

presented Mr. and Mrs. Babbs with a fine rocking chair and hoped they would live long enough to wear it out and many more and that their domestic life would always be as happy as it was on their fifth wedding anniversary.

IT IS ASSUMED.

A bucket brigade was formed by the neighbors, but it was powerless to subdue the flames.

The buildings were of frame, old and dry and, notwithstanding the rain of yesterday, burned rapidly.

The refining room and the "ark" smelter recently introduced, which were in brick buildings, were not destroyed.

It is presumed that the fire was caused by the lodgment of sparks from the furnace in the framework of the destroyed building, and that the brisk breeze which prevailed this morning finally fanned the sparks into a blaze.

The works were an old landmark. They

were built nearly thirty-five years ago, but they had not been operated for some time until recently, when they changed owners and work was again started up.

They were in a flourishing condition. George W. Clinton was the metallurgist and superintendent.

SOPHOMORE CLASS WILL HOLD A RECEPTION.

BEHNKELEY, April 3.—The sophomore reception will be held in the gymnasium on Thursday evening, April 10. Necessary arrangements have been made and the affair promises to do the men of the class great credit.

The invitation to the young ladies will be given at the cooperative store the latter part of this week.

Those who are to be present, each having the name of a young lady, so that none but sophomores will be admitted to the reception.

EASTER SERVICES AT ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

BERKELEY, April 3.—Easter services will be held at St. Mark's Episcopal Church as follows:

Good Friday—Morning service and sermon, 10 A. M.; three hours service, 12:45 P. M.; children's service, 1:15 P. M.; evening service and sermon, 7:30 P. M.

ST. LOUIS ELECTION.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

DENVER, Colo., April 3.—Nearly

complete returns show that R. B. Wright, Republican, was elected

Mayor of this city yesterday by 1,700

plurality over E. T. Wells, Democrat.

The remainder of the Republican ticket

had pluralities averaging over 5,000.

Mayor Johnson, who ran for re-election as an independent Democrat, polled about 5,000 votes.

Misses Withersell and Hough for their uniting efforts.

Mrs. Margaret Lewis, the young lady who recently gave

the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

TOPEKA, Kas., April 3.—The results of the municipal elections over the State yesterday serve to show that the prohibitory sentiment is still in the ascendancy.

In Atchison and Leavenworth, the temperance issue was not brought forward, city improvements and other questions taking the precedence.

In Wichita the temperance people made a fight for supremacy, but polled only about 1,700

of the vote. Numerous cities went

straight Republican. In nearly every case the Republican candidates were law enforcement people, and their election can therefore be counted a victory for that element.

LIVELY RUNAWAY.

Mrs. Ingram of San Francisco, a former pioneer resident of Morley's Landing, accompanied by her niece, Miss Margaret of Boston, visited the Mack and Isom families on Sunday. While here, they hired a horse and carriage from Mr. Roderick and went to the landing to see Mrs. Ingram's old home. When they alighted again in Irvington the shafts came loose and hit the legs of the horse, frightening it. The driver was unable to hold his and the animal ran to the blacksmith shop, where he became entangled, and Mr. Walsh, the driver, succeeded in getting him under control. No damage was done other than breaking the shafts and a few scratches on the legs of the horse.

Stephen McIver is expected home soon from the Waldeck Hospital in San Francisco, where he has been undergoing an operation from a bad knee. He will come on crutches, but expects to discard them after a few weeks' use.

Juan Gallegos has sold a fine bay team of horses to Mr. Sabin of San Francisco for \$1,300. The gentleman was so well pleased with his purchase that he immediately ordered a \$300 set of harness, together with boots, robes, etc.

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